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In Re Application of:

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed on July 15, 2008, please reconsider this application in view of the amendments and remarks set forth in this paper. The fee for a three-month extension of time accompanies this response. In order to reopen prosecution for this after-final matter, this filing is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (“RCE”) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. As the finality of the Office Action under reply will be withdrawn upon entry of the RCE, this paper is filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111. A new Power of Attorney (with 3.73(b) Statement) and an Information Disclosure Statement accompany this paper.

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:

The listing of the claims is set forth on pages 2 to 5 of this paper.

REMARKS:

Applicants remarks in support of this application are set forth on pages 6 to 11 of this paper.

ATTACHMENTS:

The full Diot reference and English translations of relevant sections of the Diot reference are attached to the end of this paper.